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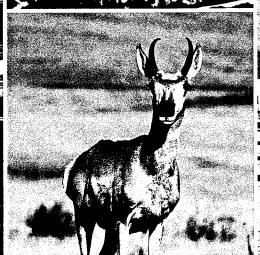
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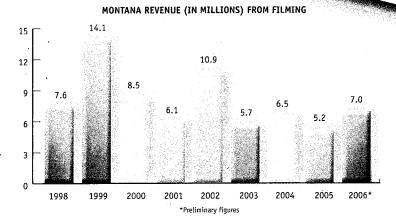
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The Montana Film Office promotes Montana as a film, television, documentary and commercial production location through a variety of tools. The Film office:

- Markets Montana to the film industry
- Brings Productions into Montana for economic benefit
- Produces the Montana Production Guide listing over 700
 Montana businesses and 300 freelance film crew members
- Maintains montanafilm.com
- Ensures Montana is "film friendly"

HIGHLIGHTS

 Big Sky on the Big Screen Act, enacted by the 2005 legislature, offers 12% rebate based on hired Montana labor and 8% rebate on qualified expenditures—15 productions certified since passage.



RESOURCE-RICH MONTANA ONLINE RESOURCE

MONTANA TRAVEL REGIONS

- custer.visitmt.com Custer Country
- glacier.visitmt.com Glacier Country
- goldwest.visitmt.com Gold West Country
- missouririver.visitmt.com Missouri River Country
- russell.visitmt.com Russell Country
- yellowstone.visitmt.com Yellowstone Country

MONTANA CVBS

- bigskychamber.com Big Sky
- billingscvb.visitmt.com Billings
- bozemancvb.visitmt.com Bozeman
- butteinfo.org Butte
- fcvb.org Flathead Valley
- greatfallscvb.visitmt.com Great Falls
- helenacvb.visitmt.com Helena
- milescitymt.org Miles City
- missoulacvb.org Missoula
- westyellowstonecvb.visitmt.com -West Yellowstone
- whitefishchamber.org Whitefish

WEBSITES MAINTAINED BY TRAVEL MONTANA

- indiannations.visitmt.com This site is devoted to Montana's Indian Nations.
- lewisandclark.mt.gov Montana's Lewis and Clark site, devoted to the Corps of Discovery's journey across our state.
- montanafilm.com The official site of the Montana Film Office, with location photos and information about filming.
- montanagroups.com The Montana Group Tour Planning Guide, offering information on group tour services.
- montanakids.com Specifically designed for kids, including games and other fun.
- montanameetings.com The Montana meeting planner's site, offering information about meeting or convention services and locations.
- travelmontana.mt.gov Travel Montana's intranet site, offering up-to-date information about the state's tourism industry.

- visitmt.com Travel Montana's main web site with visitor information and vacation planning assistance.
- wintermt.com Montana's winter site, covering the pursuit of fun during our snowy season.

OTHER USEFUL SITES

- fwp.mt.gov Montana Department of Fish, Wildlife & Parks
- lewis-clark.org Discovering Lewis and Clark
- montanalewisandclark.org Montana Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Commission
- mt.gov Montana online
- nps.gov/glac Glacier National Park
- nps.gov/yell Yellowstone National Park
- www.fs.fed.us/r1 Forest Service,
 Northern Region
- www.itrr.umt.edu Institute for Tourism and Recreation Research
- www.mt.blm.gov Bureau of Land Management

